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The annual conference of the Illinois Free Methodist church is in session at Lawless, Bishop W. T. Hogue of Chicago presiding.

Upon the opening of the academic year at Brown university President Panam announced a gift of \$5,000 from John D. Rockefeller, Jr., N. Y.

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Japanese Commander Outflanks Russian Forces and Is Advancing on Mukden—Forts Captured at Port Arthur.

London, Sept. 21.—Kuroki's army, by a series of rapid marches, has swung around the Russian forces southeast of Mukden, has crossed the Hon river, and is advancing on Mukden with 125,000 men.

This news, received at St. Petersburg during the night, caused great surprise at the Russian war office, where it was entirely unexpected.

It had apparently completely defeated the Russian strategists. They have expected the Japanese general to gradually work his way to the north of Mukden by the eastern route, keeping his forces well screened behind the hills twenty or thirty miles to the eastward.

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Since Aug. 31 the Japanese have bombarded nightly, while the Russian army, throwing against it nearly one thousand shells daily, chiefly against the four Japanese positions mentioned.

General Kuroki, as referred to by the Novikoff of Port Arthur, is the effort to recapture the positions have been almost nightly occurrence, and have been uniformly unsuccessful.

Cosaacks Taken in Ambush. Wiped Out by Mikado's Men. Berlin, Sept. 20.—Dispatches received here state that a large force of Cosaacks was ambushed and almost wiped out northeast of Yantai on the night of Sept. 11.

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## JUDGE SHERMAN ON THE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT.

Hon. Lawrence T. Sherman, republican candidate for lieutenant governor, is especially well informed on local conditions in every part of the state, and especially on municipal government. What he says concerning the constitutional amendment to be voted on in Illinois next November will command wide attention.

Judge Sherman wrote to a resident of Chicago this week as follows: "I think the adoption of the pending constitutional amendment is indispensable to the proper development of the city of Chicago. It has been the Legislature's duty to have in that time so many problems relating exclusively to our municipality have been presented to us for solution that I am satisfied in my views on this subject. Constitutional limitations made more than thirty years ago bind the growth of Chicago. I regard it as the duty of every citizen of this state to cast an affirmative ballot for the amendment."

When the Cities and Villages act, being the general charter governing all cities in Illinois with a population over 1,000, was enacted in 1873 under the terms of the constitution, it contained 184 paragraphs. Amendments to it and additional sections number over one thousand paragraphs.

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Senator Fairbanks, in His Letter of Acceptance, Highly Commends Action of Republican Administration.

Senator Charles Warren Fairbanks, Republican nominee for Vice President, formally accepted the honor in a letter addressed to William Root of New York, who was chairman of the nomination committee. The senator heartily commends the principles of the party as voiced in the platform adopted at the Chicago convention, and says of parties and their pronouncements:

"It is not alone what they say, but what they will do which should be in determining their capacity to administer public affairs."

With this promise he plunges into a discussion of the issues.

In their order Senator Fairbanks discusses public economies as illustrated by the expenditures, revenues and surpluses of the last two administrations; the foreign policy as it relates to the European and Asiatic countries and to the treaties which have been made during the last seven years; of the government's social attitude to the belligerents in the Orient; of tariff and tariff revision; of reciprocity and the treaty consummated with Cuba, and of the efforts made to cement a reciprocal tie with the Dominion of Canada; of the trust question and of legislation to reduce to a minimum the evils following illegal combinations; of sound money; of the Panama canal and the President's part in negotiating the Panama treaty; of the Philippine question, and finally of irrigation in the arid West and the disappearance of sectional differences.

Concerning the administration's record in public economy, the senator says that "we have pursued no parsimonious policy on the one hand nor indulged in extravagance on the other. We have measured the public expense by the public necessity."

He declares the foreign policy of the administration "has been conservative, just and firm, and has made for the advancement of peace." He continues:

"Thirty treaties have been concluded and proclaimed and stand to the credit of the administration. Some of these are of far-reaching importance. Among the number are the Hay-Pauncefote treaty, superseding the Clayton-Bulwer convention, which stood in the way of the construction of the isthmian canal; the Panama Canal treaty, the Alaskan boundary treaty, and commercial treaties with China and Cuba."

Of Russia and Japan the senator says:

"At the beginning of the war between them they assented to the suggestion made by the administration limiting the scope of hostilities. This was a policy of peace, and it was the most important and so much desired in the expansion of our commerce."

Senator Fairbanks declares for the settlement of international difficulties by appeal to reason rather than to arms, and recalls that President Roosevelt first invoked the aid of The Hague conference in the settlement of the Pinetown case. He says:

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The senator declares that during the period when protective tariff was maintained "labor has received its largest rewards and capital has been most profitably employed." He disposes of reciprocity in a few paragraphs, asserting that "commercial reciprocity with foreign countries is consistent with the principles of protection" has long been one of the well recognized policies of the Republican party.

He dwells upon the efforts made by President McKinley and Roosevelt to negotiate a treaty with Canada and of the failure of the same because of the disagreement in the joint high commission on the Alaskan boundary matter. Of Cuba he declares:

"The present administration, in the face of serious Democratic opposition, secured a treaty of reciprocity with Cuba which promises to give us control of a large share of the commerce of that island."

Of trusts and combinations the vice presidential nominee writes more extensively. He tells the people the administration has enforced the Sherman anti-trust law and that the last Congress enacted legislation which aimed at the hearing and determination of anti-trust suits; that Congress also created the Department of Commerce and Labor and amended the Sherman law so as to give it power to abolish "the pernicious system of rebates under which large shippers could crush their smaller competitors."

Senator Fairbanks declares sound money "is as vital to our welfare, as important to our industrial development, that we should let its open enemies or any selfish friends know that we stand nothing of our determination to uphold and defend it." He alludes to the Democratic view on this subject somewhat satirically, saying:

"When Democratic candidates cannot hope to win preference in a national convention without industriously



# JOHN BURT

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**CHAPTER XXII.—Continued.**

The moment that action had arrived for James Blake. He compressed his lips, strode through the room and a moment later entered John's office. In the final struggle position was triumphant, and he served himself as best he could for the ordeal.

John Burt looked up. The haggard expression on Blake's face alarmed him.

"What's happened, Jim? You're pale as a ghost!"

"It's a tooth," said Blake, rubbing his hand tenderly over his face. "I'm all right now, but it gave me a bad night. The dentist drew it this morning. I dined with General Carden."

"I suppose."

"Has Jessie returned? Did you see her, Jim?"

"Miss Carden has not returned, but she is expected to call here Tuesday," said Blake, nervously lighting a cigar. "I had hoped to bring you better news, John, but this is the best I can do. I thought it would be inadvisable to ask General Carden for a cablegram, since nothing but a cablegram could reach her before the last of the data."

A shade of disappointment passed over John Burt's face when Blake spoke, but a smile chased it away when he mentioned the time of her departure.

"You did right, Jim," he exclaimed. "Let's see: Tuesday is the third edition. I'm glad Jessie isn't superstitious. That should bring her to New York on the twentieth. That's thirteen days from now."

Blake turned when the second thirteen was announced, but John's eyes were fixed on the innocent calendar, his thoughts were a thousand miles across a hearing room, and he didn't notice the perplexed agony imprinted on the other's face.

John Burt leaned back in his chair and half closed his eyes.



"Two weeks, lacking a day," he mused aloud. "There is a long-sustained account I should like to settle before Jessie returns," he said, turning to Blake, who had partly regained his composure.

"What is it," asked Blake, with a lively show of interest.

"The older Morris ruled General Carden as deliberately as ever one man did another," declared John Burt, his deep gray eyes flashing a menace as he brought his hand to the desk with a blow which made it rattle. "The proceeds of that vilification have been turned over to his son. Two weeks from today Arthur Morris shall have made restitution to the man his father wronged. The certainty of this recompense, me to her longer absence, I shall win this campaign, Jim, and it's my last one. When did Hawkins wire that he would be here?"

"Thursday," answered Blake.

"I shall not wait for Hawkins," said John Burt, abruptly. "He owns a block of this L. & O. stock and I shall assume that he has his cooperation. I shall have control of L. & O. before he reaches New York. How did it close last night?"

"Twenty-eight and a half," replied Blake.

"It opened today at a quarter," said John Burt, standing over the ticker. "Take all offerings up to thirty, but do not force matters. You understand, Jim? Watch it closely and keep me advised."

"I understand," said Blake, as he arose to go.

"Wait a minute," called John, as the other stood by the door. "Sam Rounds was in to see you yesterday, was he not?"

"Yes."

"Send for him at once. Tell him it's something important. That's all."

Blake entered his own office and rang himself into a chair. He felt as if he had aged years in the hour that had passed.

**CHAPTER XXIII.**

**Measuring Lances.**

When Elizabeth Morris retired to her room she transferred an small burden of responsibility to the shoulders of the latter. Arthur Morris had inherited his father's position, but not his unshakable gray, of affairs. Arthur Morris had little sympathy with that old-fashioned conservatism which stops short of participation in corruption. He be-

John Hoon are ye, John Burt! I'm plumb tickled for death for see ye well, well, well!"

His honest eyes glistened as he threw his hat to the floor and grasped John's hands with a grip which had made the average man wince.

"And I'm glad to see you, Sam! It seems like coming back to life to meet you. Sam down and tell me all about yourself and Rocky Woods."

"The last time I saw you, John," he said, "was under these maple trees in front of the Biltmore house. I wish you ain't forgot that night. You galloped away in the dark on my horse as I ain't seen you since. Now you begin to tell me the place like it was, which was in the Biltmore. Companion where it says to be continued in our next, and keep right on up to the present time."

John laughed and gave Sam a hurried sketch of his career. He told of his voyage around Cape Horn, his arrival in San Francisco, his meeting for the mine described by the dying sailor, his meeting with Jim Blake, the discovery of the gold mine, his association with John Hawkins and the fact which led to the formation of the firm of James Blake & Company. John said nothing to lead Sam to think that Blake was only a partner in the mine, but the shrewd Yankee guessed the truth.

"I saw, John, this is a long good time," he gasped, shaking hands with John. "You told me half the truth, and you have now, I can guess the rest. You're James Blake & Company. You've the man who's worth ten times as much as I am. I'm proud of you, John! Didn't I tell you something like this would happen? An' you can't have too much good fortune to tell me, John. I don't want a thing from ye. I just like to see you, because—well, because you are a man."

"Thank you, Sam."

"Don't be beat under how things turn out!" observed Sam. "I saw Jim when he was down low Rocky Woods a few months ago, and when he told me that he was the Jim Blake, you could a knocked me down with a willow switch. I said to myself then, that had it been John Burt, I'd have been surprised. An' now, by thunder, it was John Burt who did it after all. But how about Jim Blake, John? If you're James Blake & Company, who's the dickens is Jim?"

"I am not James Blake & Company," said John with a smile. "I am the Company. Jim has a substantial interest in the firm, and has done much towards its success."

"I'm mighty glad to hear that," declared Sam. "I reckon I can guess who does the thinking. Jim's a real feller, but he's a reckless an' careless, though, maybe he's out of his mind. Where is he? Send for him. John, we'll all talk it over together, like we did in the old days back in Rocky Woods."

John pressed a button and an attendant responded.

"If Mr. Blake is not busy, say that I should like to see him," he said.

"There's one thing you haven't told me about," said Sam, shifting his feet awkwardly. "I don't want to pry into your private affairs, John, but have you seen yet—I mean Miss Carden?"

The door opened softly and James Blake entered so silently that neither heard him.

"I have not seen Miss Carden," replied John. "She is not in the city."

"Yes she is," asserted Sam eagerly. "I saw her yesterday riding down Fifth avenue."

(To be continued.)

**Dangerous Mexican Word to Speak.**

Manuel Guerrero and Florentino Pineda had the "chihuahua" habit, and for the last few weeks had been smoking big cigarettes in which tobacco was mixed with the dangerous weed.

Thursday afternoon the two men smoked cigarettes composed of tobacco in smaller proportion than marihuana, and after a few minutes ran amok.

"They went out into the street shouting, vociferating and attacking everybody," they said. They marched hand in hand, declaring that they were the saviors of the world and would kill anybody who dared to say a word to the contrary, but at last Pineda declared that he was still braver than his friend, and a fight followed, the two receiving dangerous wounds.

They were captured and sent to the hospital, where they had to be put into straitjackets. It is feared that the two men, if they recover from their wounds, will lose their minds permanently, as is often the case with marihuana smokers.—Mexican Herald.

**Reading the Bible.**

It was the meeting of the Christian Endeavor society, when the close the pastor suggested that each one should tell what part of the Bible he read the most, and give the reason.

"The last one to speak was a lady, and she said with a little hesitation that he read the first chapter of Genesis more than any other."

A look of surprise and curiosity was evident in all the listeners, as he went on to give his reason:

"You see, I always receive every New Year that I will begin and read the Bible through, but I never get very far, and, of course, I always have to make a new beginning."—New York Tribune.

**Franklin's View of Life.**

When I reflect, as I frequently do, upon the felicity I have enjoyed, I sometimes say to myself, that were the other man who would engage me again, from beginning to end, the same career of life. All I would ask should be the privilege of an author to correct at a second edition, certain errors of the first.—Franklin.

# ILLINOIS NEWS

Chicago News Items, over the state, especially selected for our readers.

## RAINFALL BENEFITS FARMERS

Well Distributed Showers Put the Ground in Fine Condition.

The crop bulletin for the week end of Sept. 15 says: well distributed showers occurred, putting the ground in fine condition for planting and seeding. Farming operations were prosecuted under favorable conditions. A considerable amount has been sown to wheat, rye and timothy, but much more of wheat remains to be done. Some early sown fields are showing green.

Corn was practically unaffected by frost. A portion of the crop is now ripe and the remainder is advancing toward maturity. Some early fields have been cut for fodder.

Grapes were severely injured by recent rains and ample fall feed is indicated.

Broomcorn is being harvested. An average yield of good quality is indicated.

Grapes are yielding beautifully. Peaches and plums are promising. Apples will give a fair yield in the northern and central districts, but the southern districts they are very unpromising.

## WEALTH BRINGS ITS TROUBLES

Wife Abuses Her Husband When Fortune is Left to Her.

Joseph Egan, ex-highway commissioner of Illinois, was granted a divorce from Anne Egan in the city court. He alleged that his wife was guilty of extreme and repeated cruelty, that she struck him on the head with a poker, beat him with the center and locked him out of the family home. "The Maples," and kept him out for a week. Neighbors testified that they had seen Mrs. Egan assault her husband. Mrs. Egan was a Mrs. McGowan, with a large family of children, when Mr. Egan married her. Subsequently, he was elected a relative of the state, N. Y. died and left the McGowans \$10,000, and Egan says his troubles began with the receipt of the legacy. Mrs. McGowan and children moved to St. Louis some time ago.

## CLARENCE A. MURRAY

Clarence A. Murray, well known to politicians in the northern part of the state, died at Washington of Bright's disease. For ten years he had been postmaster, and conducted the office in an acceptable manner. Being a ho-

**Sanitizing Shortage.**

A bandit entered the saloon of George Goyen at St. Charles about 10 o'clock at night and ordered Goyen and three men at the bar to throw up their hands. On their refusal the bandit shot Goyen just above the head. The man was overpowered and lodged in jail at night. He refused to give his name, but said he was from Chicago.

**Water Meters for Springfield.**

At the city council meeting Mayor Davenport of Springfield called the deciding vote in favor of the ordinance providing for the purchase of water meters to be used by all consumers of city water; that the mayor and controller do the purchasing and choose the kind of meter.

**Children Are Burned in Explosion.**

Mrs. Mary Cartel, a widow, of Quincy, went to her work, leaving her children at home. In her absence a daughter, aged 9, and a son, aged 7, attempted to start a fire with gasoline. Both received burns which will probably be fatal.

**W. C. T. U. Election.**

At the county convention of the Woman's Christian Temperance union, which was held at the city of East Peoria, the following were elected as follows: President, Miss Mary Patterson; recording secretary, Mrs. McKelroy; treasurer, Mrs. Moulton.

**Guarantees to Repair Streets.**

The Alton Light and Traction company, which is adding the reconstruction of the city streets to their former condition after they have been torn up for the laying of gas mains.

**Falls Down Flight of Stairs.**

Mrs. Pembroke, wife of Dr. Pembroke, fell down a flight of stairs at her home in East St. Louis, sustaining severe injuries. She was sent to St. Mary's hospital.

**Methodist Memorial Hospital.**

Rev. E. S. Wason had a conference to raise \$10,000 for the purpose of building a memorial hospital at Mattoon.

**Buyers Land at East Peoria.**

W. S. Lottery of Clinton has purchased three acres adjoining East Peoria, including the baseball grounds, from J. A. Harding. Consideration, \$5,000.

**Fire Destroys Iron Works.**

Fire broke out in the Central iron works at Quincy. The building was almost totally destroyed. Loss, \$10,000, fully insured.

**Work for 200 Miners.**

The air shaft at the St. Elton coal mine, near Mt. Vernon, has been completed and the mine will be put in full operation at once, giving employment in a short time to about 200 miners.

**Pelton Chief Is Shot.**

Chief of Police William O. Goodin of Chicago shot and killed the right leg of a man who was shot by the accidental discharge of his revolver Thursday. It is thought the wound will not result seriously.

## FORMER SOLDIERS ARE HONORED

Business Houses Close to Permit Employees to Attend Reunion.

The twenty-second annual reunion of the Southern Illinois Soldiers' and Sailors' association was held at Duquoin. This was one of the most successful reunions in the history of the association. Every firm in the city suspended business at 12 o'clock and their employees were given a half-day off. Among the speakers were Gen. P. J. Osterhaus of St. Louis, Gen. O. O. Howard, Hon. Isaac Clements of Eastville, Col. Robert Mann Wood, department commander, and Col. Pat Dyer of St. Louis. At the annual business meeting of the association the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Commander, Gen. James S. Martin of St. Louis; vice commander, Gen. C. W. Parry of Mount Vernon; assistant vice commander, Capt. N. B. Thistlewood of Cairo; adjutant, Maj. L. Krughoff of Nashville; officer of the day, Maj. J. C. Crocker of Mount Vernon; alder, Capt. George S. Pittenger of Centralia; Gen. W. W. North of Anna and Capt. Moses Martin of Duquoin; officer of the guard, Capt. H. W. Adams of Tamaroa; chaplain, Rev. G. W. Derry of Duquoin; quartermaster, Capt. E. Dillon of Boston.

## MINE EXAMINER MEETS DEATH

Fall of State Kills Official at the Ridge—Prairie Mine.

James Kidd, aged 44, a mine examiner employed in the Ridge Prairie mine, thirteen miles west of O'Fallon, was killed by a fall of stone and slain. It was Kidd's duty to enter the mine at about 5:30 each morning to examine the rooms and entries before the miners were permitted to enter to begin their day's work. At 10 o'clock the miners arrived for work, and as Kidd had not succeeded from the pit an investigation was made and he was found in one of the entries dead. An inquest was held by Coroner McCracken, a verdict of accidental death being returned. Kidd was a former resident of Prior, Ill., and was the brother of the well-known coal mine examiner and manager in the country. He was engaged in the mining business in Missouri for many years. He was survived by his widow and four children.

## HONOR FOR HUSBAND AND WIFE

Compl. Head G. A. R. and W. R. G. for Washington and Alaska.

Frank M. Davis and wife, Mrs. Nancy E. Davis, of Seattle, Wash., are visiting in Alton on their way home from attending the G. A. R. and the Women's Relief corps annual encampment at Boston. Mrs. Davis is a sister of Charles King of Alton. The couple have the distinction of being the only husband and wife in the United States who are holding at the same time the offices of the department commander of the two organizations. Both the Women's Relief corps and the Grand Army of the Republic. Mrs. Davis is department commander for the G. A. R. of the department of Washington and Alaska, and his wife is department president of the Women's Relief corps for the same department.

**Prisoner Pleads Cane.**

William Bradd, charged with burglary, conducted his own case so effectively as to secure acquittal from a jury in the circuit court at Paris. He declined to have counsel appointed by the court, and after conducting a skillful defense, made a closing argument which won the jurors to shed tears. Judge W. N. Thompson denounced the finding as an outrage and a travesty on justice. Bradd's strike is in Terre Haute.

**Ziegler Strike Is Convicted.**

Guiseppi Masconi, one of the strikers of the Ziegler strike, was tried in the United States circuit court at Springfield on the charge of contempt of court by violating Judge Humphrey's injunction against interfering with the operations of the Ziegler company's mine. He was found guilty on two counts and was sentenced by Judge Humphrey to ninety days in the Sangrean county jail.

**Land Suit Is Remanded.**

The case of the town of Bolo against John Linscott, was remanded by the appellate court at Mount Vernon for a new trial on error in instructions by the Washington county circuit court. The case involves a section of land in Bolo township which Linscott is alleged to have conveyed to private man. A jury returned a verdict in his favor.

**Federal Labor Union.**

Members of the Central Trades and Labor union and the officers of all unions at East St. Louis perfected arrangements for organizing the Federal Labor union, which will embrace all classes of labor, with representatives from the different labor locals.

**Grant's Old Regiment Meets.**

The annual reunion of the Twenty-first Illinois regiment was held at Bethany. This regiment had the distinction of being commanded by Gen. U. S. Grant. Over eighty members of the regiment were in attendance.

**Bus Standstill Oil Company.**

Ramsey Delt of Deaton has started a suit for \$100,000 damages against the Standard Oil company of Kentucky. He claims to have been seriously injured while employed by the company.

**Receives His Rig.**

The horse and buggy of Ernest Borchelt, which was stolen from the court house hitching rack in Nashville, was found tied to a tree on one of the streets of Ashley, Tenn. Mrs. Borchelt.

**Breakman Is Crushed.**

Fred Cline, a breakman on the Illinois central, was crushed between two freight cars at Tamaroa. His recovery is doubtful.

**Thrown From Train.**

James Clark of Ashley was thrown from a passenger train in the Illinois Central yards in Duquoin and suffered the loss of his left foot.

**Lighting Fire Burns.**

The barns of Jacob Leinen, John Borchelt, Walter Borchelt and Harry McDermott at Dixon were struck by lightning and destroyed by fire. A great many farm-ers lost stock by having it killed by lightning.

**To Entertain Veterans.**

The annual reunion of the 117th Illinois volunteer infantry will be held at Leokertown, Ill., Belleville, Oct. 17. At the meeting of the Women's Relief corps arrangements were made to entertain the veterans.







# TRAIN WRECK ON UNION PACIFIC

Accident Is Due to Spreading Rails Causing Coaches to Leave Track.

## PULLMAN CAR IS ROLLED OVER

Turns Three Times in Jumping Fifty-Foot Embankment, Six of the Passengers Being Seriously Hurt—Other Aspects.

Junction City, Kan., dispatch: The east-bound Atlantic Express on the Union Pacific was wrecked at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon. The accident was caused by the rails spreading. The train was traveling about forty miles an hour. Three Pullman cars left the track, and the one at the rear of the train rolled over a fifty-foot embankment, turning three times.

There were thirty-two persons in this car. Six of them were seriously injured and the rest received slight injuries. The seriously injured are: Fred R. Coburn, Woodstock, R. I.; Everett by gas and light, and a woman. A. Johnson, Providence, R. I.; cut about neck and head; may prove fatal. George Eagle, Colorado, Pullman porter; badly crushed about chest.

Mrs. H. W. Rice, Providence, R. I.; bruised hip; serious. The injured were brought to this city. The last two cars of the train were occupied by the Union Pacific commandery, K. T. No. 1, and Calvary commandery, K. T. No. 11, both of Providence, R. I. The members were returning home from the San Francisco convocation.

## Train Collision in Trenton

Trenton, N. J., dispatch: Collision, Hamilton & Dayton passenger train No. 3 and 5, making their first trip over the lines of the Terminal company, collided near Trenton and twenty persons were injured, some of them seriously. Both engines were demolished and several coaches were smashed.

It is claimed that the north-bound engine diverged its wheels and did not take a siding at Conasaugus for the south-bound train to pass. The accident occurred on a trestle and the vehicles were telescoped in such a peculiar manner that none of the cars left the track. If the cars had gone over at that point there would have been a frightful loss of life.

## Among the most seriously injured are:

C. C. Steiber, Cincinnati, seriously injured. W. J. Rzwarski, Cincinnati; right arm fractured. Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Ferguson, Gibbstown, Ohio, scalp wounds; both taken to the hospital. Mrs. T. J. Ramsey, Ephrata, Pa.; head injured. Emmet J. Dwyer, Detroit; chest injured.

## One Killed and Seven Hurt

St. Joseph, Mo., dispatch: The collision of a Missouri street car with an ice wagon at Thirteenth and Edmond streets was followed by a second collision, in which a north-bound car on Thirteenth street crashed into the wreck, resulting in eight persons being injured, one fatally. Mrs. J. E. Pierpont, wife of a physician of Eldon, Mo., is attempting to leap from the second car, falling heavily to the pavement and sustaining a fractured skull. She died at the Edwards hospital. She had a child in her arms, but the babe was snatched away by one of the passengers just in time to prevent it sharing its mother's fate.

## Among the seriously injured are:

Mrs. J. G. Moody, 414 South Thirteenth street. Mrs. H. C. Chambers, 724 South Twenty-third street. Mrs. Claude Madison, 211 South Sixteenth street. Miss Margaret Schuster, 1113 Fredrick street. T. C. Smith, motorman, car 82.

## MURDER INVOLVES THE WIDOW

Woman Arrested in Connection With Death of Husband.

Holmes, Mont., dispatch: A sensation was created at Glasgow by the arrest of Mrs. John Motter, widow of the late John Motter, a prominent sheep man, on a charge of being implicated in the death of her husband. Motter, it is charged, was killed by an employee named Dwy, who asserted that Motter killed himself. He was released from custody, but later re-arrested when new evidence of murder was discovered.

## To Appoint Archbishop Sean

Rome dispatch: The congregation of the provincial has adjourned until November, when, upon reassembling, it will appoint a coadjutor to the Most Rev. John Joseph Williams, D. D., archbishop of Boston.

## Bankers Visit West Point

West Point, N. Y., dispatch: The American Bankers' Association paid a visit to the military academy, arriving just in time to witness inspection of the end of the battle.

## Caring for Baby in Zuni Land

The Zuni child spends his early days in a cradle. But a cradle in Zuni Land does not mean down pillows, silken coverlets and fluffy lace; it is only a flat board, just the length of the baby, with a hood like a doll's basket top over the head.

Upon this hard bed the baby is bound like a mummy, and the coverlets are wound round and round him until the little fellow cannot move except to open his mouth and eyes. Sometimes he is swaddled and looks out into the bare whitewashed room, blinks at the fire burning on the hearth and sees his eyes curiously on the wolf and cougar skins that serve as chairs and beds and carpets in the Zuni home.

By the time he is two or three years old he has grown into a plump, little bronze creature with the straightest of coarse black hair and the biggest and roundest of black eyes. He is now out of the cradle and trots about the house and village. When the weather is bad he wears a small coarse shirt, and always a necklace of beads or turquoise. —St. Nicholas.

## The Reason Why

Durham, Wis., Sept. 19 (Special)—Whole families in Hayfield County are singing the praises of Dodd's Kidney Pills and the reason why is given in experiences such as that of Mr. T. T. Wood, a well-known citizen here. "I had such pains in my back that I did not know what to do," says Mr. Wood, "and as I came across an advertisement of Dodd's Kidney Pills I sent for a box. That one box relieved me of all my pains. My wife also used them and found them just what she needed. I recommended Dodd's Kidney Pills as a sure cure for Backache and other Kidney Troubles."

Backache is one of the earliest symptoms of Kidney Disease. Dodd's Kidney Pills cure it promptly and permanently and prevent it developing into Rheumatism, Dropsy, Diabetes or Bright's Disease.

## Inspiration Came in Sleep

Goodie often declared that much of his best work had really been done in his sleep. "The objects," he said, "which had occupied my attention during the day often reappeared at night in connected strings. On awaking, a new composition, or a portion of one I had already commenced presented itself to my mind. In the morning I accustomed to record the inspiration in my diary. And Tardieu's famous 'Devil's Sonata' was, he always declared, an exact reproduction of a melody which had been played to him during his sleep.

## Brotherly Affection

Here is a little incident which a contemporary of William "Boss" Tweed's in the "New York Times" describes as "a touching instance of brotherly love and charity." "A Mr. Bird, who was one of those who had made great fortunes in the iron industry in Scotland, having risen from a laborer to be worth about \$100,000, was once dining with the duke of Hamilton. His grace said to him: 'Is it not a pleasure of meeting any of your brothers. He replied, 'And one great loss, my lord; they're all brutes but me.'"

## Insist on Getting It

Some grocers say they don't keep Oatmeal Star. This is because they have a stock on hand of other brands containing only 13 in a package, which they won't be able to sell. Because Oatmeal Star contains 18 oz. for the same money.

## Do you want 16 oz. instead of 13 oz. for same money?

Then buy Oatmeal Star. Regular Oatmeal Cooking.

## Cure an Old One

In view of the fact that a Vienna physician has become famous for curing rheumatism by the external application of bee stings, an American physician rises to say that the internal absorption of the virus of the honey bee has effected 500 times 500 cures.

## ARE YOU GOING TO ST. LOUIS?

The Hamilton Hotel is located but a few blocks from World's Fair. It is clean, cool and moderate in charge. Good rooms with bath, \$1.00 per day and up. European plan. Breakfast 50c. Write for Booklet. Address F. Williamson, manager.

## Man's Pre-Eminent Amalgam

"Man hath no pre-eminence above a beast," is the inscription Miss Justine Ingersoll of New Haven, Conn., has placed on the gravestone of her pet monkey, Jim.

## Many Children Are Sickly

Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children, used by Mother Gray, a nurse in Children's Home, New York, cure Summer Complaint, Febrile Diarrhea, Stomach Troubles, Twisting Disorders and Destroy Worms. At all Druggists, or, Sample mailed FREE. Address: Allen B. O'Connell, Le Roy, N. Y.

Every man stamps his value on himself. The price we charge for ourselves is given us by others. Man is made great or little by his own will. —Schiller.

## Why It Is the Best

is because made by an entirely different process. Oatmeal Star is not like any other. Better and one-third more for 16 cents.

## The way to gain a good reputation is to endeavor to be what you desire to appear.—Scotts.

## Shower and Lower "Single Shower"

straight razor, the only one that is the brand. Lewis Frazier, Inc., N. Y.

## Always think before you speak. Be sure you write, think a long time.

The Warner Bros. Comedy Co., Chicago, and Home Life Studio, N. Y.

In spite of rumors, Kuroki has not been killed. (Herald)

## AMERICAN MINISTER STONED.

While out riding at Havana in his automobile Herbert G. Squiers, the American minister, was stoned by some unknown person. The stoning occurred in the country district and the minister escaped in the darkness. Mr. Squiers has complained to the government and the latter has ordered the authorities where the stoning occurred to make an investigation.

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Williamburg, Ky., dispatch: Floyd Hilton has been sentenced to be hanged for the murder of the one of the two men who were killed at Jellison last August. The jury was out only forty minutes.

## Qualifications for Office

Some amusing replies were given by candidates for a vacant relieving officer at Chertsey, diplomatically: "I was married, one replied, 'No, but if that is the only objection I will overcome it in two months.' Another applicant, questioned as to his physical strength, and asked if he could put any of the members of the board of guardians out of the room without assistance, replied, diplomatically: 'I wouldn't like to throw out a challenge of that sort.' "But," he was asked, "could you manage a rough landing?" "Well," he replied, with laughter, "I have been a footballer for fifteen years."—London News.

## Druggists Are Offended

The druggists of Rome have formed themselves into a corporate body in order to take proceedings against Baderer for characterizing their establishments in his guidebook as being unreliable and expensive.

## Allen's Foot-Ease, Wonderful Remedy

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## The offer of the prize fighting

Jeffries to fight any three other prize fighting gentlemen one after the other in the same ring shows a superb self confidence that may cause the downfall of the champion.

## You are not expected to know

values of funeral goods, but if you know that the National Carpet Co. make "The Best," you should ask the Undertaker to furnish that kind.

## Five Georgia men were killed by lightning

the other day. The bolt must have slipped up on them from in front.

## Defence Starch

should be in every household, none so good, besides a 4 oz. tin for 16 cents and any other brand of cold water starch.

## Modesty is a great virtue, but a man seldom gets his salary raised on the strength of it.

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